

PUBLIC LEADER

FIFTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 1896.

ONE CENT.



IF you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to this effect:

Miss Belle Mitchell Dudley is visiting Miss Lane.

Hon. John P. McCartney of Flemingsburg was in the city yesterday.

Miss Belle Mitchell Dudley of Flemingsburg is the guest of Miss Lane.

Miss Florence Tolia has returned from a visit to relatives at Orangeburg.

Misses Ribbons Wall and Beulah Owens leave today for a visit to Miss Nannie Clay at Paris.

Miss Rebecca Martin of Middlesboro has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hugh R. Bierbower, for a few days.

Mr. Jackson Wall has returned to Center College, Danville, after a short visit to his parents, Hon. and Mrs. G. S. Wall.

"Barney" Dawson, a former attaché of this office, is here from Princeton on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dawson.

Mrs. John Hise and Miss Nannie Clarke of Cincinnati have returned home after spending several days with their mother, Mrs. B. Clarke.

Mrs. Irene Carmack left this morning for Augusta, to be present at the bedside of her nephew, William Gebhart, who is dangerously ill.

Very Personal.—Postage on drop letters, whether sent or not, is 2 cents. Many persons send their notices through the Postoffice with only one cent stamp. These are "held for postage." Hereafter they must contain at least one cent stamp.

David Skinner was fined \$5 and costs for a lag and disorderly.

Call at J. James Wood's for the finest Tons, purest Spices, &c., &c.

The electric light plant at Lebanon was sold at commissioners' sale for \$10,100. It cost \$30,000.

Mayville people are anxious to hear Mr. Chapman Johnson again, who will be so ably supported by Miss Volight and Mr. Hahn.

The gymnasium and three classrooms at the Paris Classical Institute, were burned by an incendiary fire Sunday morning.

"Nig," the well known little dog of Mr. D. Heehinger, died Sunday from the effects of poison which he had gotten hold of in some way.

Congressman Pugh presented a petition from citizens of Boyd county protesting against the appropriation of public funds for sectarian purposes.

There were nineteen families in Mayville that received benefit from the entertainment given by Mrs. Ella Parker in the way of food, clothing and shoes.

Colonel Joe Kinley of York, Pa., yesterday bought fifteen horses in this city—all that were offered suitable to his market. They will be shipped East to-day.

Mr. William C. Gehhart is lying very low with consumption at the country place of his father, a few miles from Augusta. He is a grandson of Mr. J. W. Pearce of Westwood station.

Mr. William Hawk's residence near Lewisburg, together with most of its contents, was destroyed by fire early Monday morning. The loss amounts to about \$3,000, with only \$250 insurance.

Mr. John H. Ward, brother-in-law of Mr. G. G. Kilpatrick of this city, died near Mayville at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning, aged about 50. He had been bleeding Tuesday afternoon, and his death was attributed to heart trouble. His wife, who was a Miss Taylor, died. The funeral will take place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Shannon Church.

FELONY DE SE.

William Vansant Suicides at Flemingsburg.

DESPONDENCY THE CAUSE.

Dents, like other misfortunes, rarely come singly.

The usually quiet city of Flemingsburg has of late weeks experienced its share of sorrows, and Monday afternoon another was added to the list.

William Vansant, aged 32, son of Mr. Isaac Vansant, a prominent merchant, committed suicide by swallowing lead.

He had been drinking considerably and was despondent.

Antidotes and a stomach pump were used, but without avail.



IF I knew the box where the smiles were kept, No matter how large the key, Or strange the bolt, I would try so hard 'Till I found it, I know, for me; Then over the hand and the nose, broadest, I'd scatter the smiles to play, That the children's face might hold them fast For many and many a day.

If I knew a box that was large enough To hold all the smiles I meet, I would like to gather them, every one, From nursery, school, and street; Then folding and holding, I'd pack them in, And turning the monster key, I'd hire a giant to drop the box To the depths of the deep, deep sea.

—The New Educator.

Tomorrow Jailer Johnson will dine the members of the Fiscal Court and a few outsiders who know what a good dinner is.

The compliments passed upon Saturday's Levee were numerous and gratifying.

It is indeed a very great pleasure to know that one's efforts are appreciated; and, encouraged by the flattering reception accorded to last Saturday's levee it will be our aim to improve upon each succeeding number.

Remember, The Levee will print a Double Edition every Saturday, replete with choice reading for all tastes.

A limited number of Advertisements will be admitted on reasonable terms, and every effort will be given to accommodate patrons if desired in advance.

"International Cure" for Stomach and Poultry sold by J. James Wood.

The demand for tickets for the concert to be given on the 24th is rapidly increasing, and all persons interested will please see Miss Francis Clark at an early date.

The Rowan County Convention instructed for Judge W. H. Holt for Delegate at Large to the St. Louis Convention for Colonel Frank Cook of Ashland and Hon. J. P. McCartney of Flemingsburg for Delegates from the Ninth District and for Samuel J. Pugh for Congress.

The revival services in the First Baptist Church were held at Aberdeen Monday. The audience was five to twelve each day. There have been five additions to the Church thus far. Rev. J. W. Porter is an earnest and powerful preacher. The meeting will continue indefinitely at 8 p. m. and 7:30 each day.

ABERDEEN ELECTION.

What Was Done in Our Neighborhood City Monday.

Elections for municipal and township officers were held at Aberdeen Monday. Lively interest was manifested and the officers were evenly divided between the two political parties.

BUNTING TOWNSHIP.

Trustee.

James Buchanan, R., 376
Joshua York, D., 303

Assessor.

Lee Evans, R., 385
Ed. Scott, D., 230

Treasurer.

W. S. Sibbald, R., 289
H. L. P. Cooper, D., 292

Clerk.

Robert Keith, R., 288
Joseph Helm, D., 288

Justice of the Peace.

J. Q. Early, R., 258
John Shelton, R., 303
W. Clayton, D., 283
L. P. Cord, D., 271

Town Election.

Mayor.

T. F. Hill, 106
Tom Madigan, 99

Marshal.

J. B. Jones, 17
J. L. Schmitt, 106
J. Weaver, 63
E. Garrison, 64

Councilmen.

G. W. Schmitt, 96
W. A. Rist, 109
Ed. Hall, 111
J. W. Jones, 51
John Herbert, 99
Dave Davis, 74
R. N. Channon, 18

Messrs. Schmitt, Rist and Hall were elected for two years and Mr. Davis for one year.

"I have never had a day's sickness in my life," said a middle-aged man the other day. "What a comfort it would be," sighs some poor fellow, "to be in his place for a year or two." Yet half of the invalids we see might be just as well as he, if they would only take proper care of themselves, eat proper food and digest it.

It is so strange that such simple things are overlooked by those who want health. Food makes health.

It makes strength—and strength wards off sickness. The man who had never been sick was strong because he always digested his food, and you would become the same by helping your stomach to work as well as he. The Stomachic Digestive Cordial will help your stomach and will make you strong and healthy by making the food you eat make you fit.

Druggists sell it. Trial bottle 10 cents.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect for the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEVEE'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

White—RAIN; Blue—RAIN OR SNOW; With Black Above—"WILL WARM UP;" With Black Below—"WILL COOL DOWN;" With Black Between—"WILL BE CALM;" With Black at the Ends—"WILL BE CALM;" With Black in the Middle—"WILL BE CALM;" With Black in the Corners—"WILL BE CALM;"

The above forecasts are made for a period of twenty-four hours, ending at 5 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The Ladies' Mite Society of the Christian Church contemplates purchasing a new carpet for the main room.

Superintendent Edward Slattery will today entertain at dinner the members of the Fiscal Court and a few friends.

Belle P., the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper of West Third street, died Monday after an illness of the measles, complicated with pneumonia.

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Sold by druggists, 75 cents.

It's Like Walking In the Dark

to drop in any place you see the sign "Jeweler" when your watch don't keep time and you want it put in such condition that it will. Not one in every ten can make more than a bluff at cleaning it. It ought to be cleaned, of course, but cleaning is the smallest item of all that goes toward making a watch keep time. There are many fine adjustments that may have become deranged, or if some of the delicate parts are badly worn, it requires the highest grade of skill in watchmaking to repair it so it will keep perfect time.

A watch made right here—cut from the raw material, pronounced by experts to be equal to anything they have ever seen in finish and workmanship,—that we have carried for over ten years will sustain our claim to being the only place in Mayville where you can have your watch put in perfect order, no matter what it needs.

J. BALLENGER, Maysville, Ky.

Toilet Articles, Soaps, Perfumery, at J. James Wood's.

"John," said his wife, "you were out last night playing poker."

"No, I wasn't," he replied, "I was in—just 86."

FACTS ABOUT INSANITY.

Over 98 Per Cent. Afflicted Without Hope of Recovery.

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You can get a \$3 50 Flexible Sole, Needle Toe, Button Shoe for \$2 50, at F. B. RANSON & CO.

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You can get a \$2 50, Flexible Sole, Pointed Toe Button Shoe for \$2, at F. B. RANSON & CO.

Just to keep the ball rolling, we offer Men's \$5 Patent Leather Bala for \$3 50. We shall continue the Shoe Business in Mayville, and will give due notice of our Spring Opening.

F. B. RANSON & CO.

BLOOD SPILLED.

Lively Times at the Aldermanic Elections in Chicago.

Police Called on to Quell Several Incipient Riots at Polling Places.

One Man in the Levee District Shot in the Leg, Anomalous May Be Necessary—Another Confined, and a Third Killed—Several Arrested.

CHICAGO, April 8.—Blood was spilled at the election in the First ward, and the police were called on to quell several incipient riots at the polling places among the followers of the aldermanic candidates. The levee section of the ward also provided its usual quota of lesser brawls, with fists, rocks and clubs as weapons, and whiskey as accessory in every case. There were disturbances among the Italian, the Nineteenth ward, where the aldermanic contestants strove with beer, whiskey and music to influence voting. Flat fights and elections of trunks and hats at the polling places by the police were reported in the Second, Eighteenth and Twenty-second wards. The police quickly restored order whenever an outbreak occurred, and on the whole, considering the bitterness of the fight against "gang" aldermen, the election was a creditable one. The open violation of the law against saloons selling liquor during the voting hours made most of the trouble for the police.

The most serious outbreak occurred in the levee district near the polling place at 400 Dearborn street. Joseph Grogan, a clerk for the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad, who was not in any way connected with the rioters, was shot in the leg by a bullet from the bones so shattered that amputation may be necessary. He was going to his office, where he was surrounded by a mob of colored and white men engaged in a fight and half a thousand of the same class of men were quickly on the spot. The unknown colored man, who was a revolver and fired six bullets into the mob, one of them striking Grogan, who was taken to the sidewalk. The fight was the man who used the gun were pursued by officers but all escaped.

At the same place the faction voting for "Bath House John" (Coughlin, the present alderman, and George Williams, his opponent, came in conflict with fists and revolvers, one man receiving several stunning blows with a weapon. A riot call was turned in by the officers on duty and numerous arrests were made. Close upon this disturbance came another in the same part of the ward. Sol Van Frank, a deputy United States marshal, who is a character in the ward, was attacked by a gang of Coughlin followers and a Williams crowd rushed to the rescue, precipitating a free fight, in which shots were fired. No one was hit, and the police captured two of the shooters.

The first blood shed was just after the opening of the polls at 192 Washington street, First ward. Wm. Martin, Williams worked with one man, a Coughlin man, in the arm and the trouble led to a small riot. The police arrested Hickey and a gang of importuners tried to rescue him. The prisoner was being taken away when a riot call brought a force of detectives from the city hall and the mob was driven back.

MUSICIANS MEET.
A Protest Against Army and Navy Bands Competing With Civil Organizations.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The most important business of Tuesday's session of the Musical convention was the presentation of the report of the committee on army and naval bands. The report was read protests against government bands competing with civilian organizations, and discussions at length with such competition should not be allowed.

Petitions embodying the reasons given by the report against government bands competing with civilian organizations will be drawn and presented to Secretaries Lamont and Herlihy. A memorial on the subject, signed by 150 members of the order will be presented to congress and a special committee will be appointed to lay the matter before the president. The league has been striving for years to have this matter settled and will make a special effort at this session to obtain a decision. Wednesday the members of the league will be received by President Cleveland.

Agricultural Appropriation Bill.
WASHINGTON, April 8.—The conferees on the agricultural appropriation for the coming fiscal year reached an agreement Tuesday. As passed by the house, the bill carried \$5,315,392. The senate increased this amount to \$15,165. The senate conferees agreed to a compromise amendment carrying \$78,180, leaving the bill as agreed to, appropriating \$5,309,795, or about \$1,000 less than the amount for the current fiscal year. The items of \$18,770 for the division of seeds and of \$60,000 for the publication of the report on dairy farming are the more important of those stricken from the bill in conference.

Two Vessels Collide.
QUARTERMASTER, L. April 8.—The steamer Bell Arden of the Lamport and Holt line, while outward bound Tuesday evening, collided off Ow's head with the steamer Quaker from Liverpool, was just leaving Quarantine for Liverpool. The Bell Arden at once began to list, and she was headed for the Staten Island shore and beach. At the time of grounding, the Bell Arden had 14 feet of water in her hold. The Freeland did not appear to be injured.

U.S. Republican Convention.
SALT LAKE, Utah, April 8.—The republican state convention to elect delegates to the national convention was held here Tuesday. There were 330 delegates in attendance and they dispensed of the preliminary business with much. The platform committee declared for the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, for protection and reciprocity.

PRECAUTION TAKEN

To Prevent the United States Legation Against Attack by Enraged Spaniards.

MADRID, April 8.—The government officials have taken every precaution to safeguard the United States legation against attack or insult, and the temper of the people here, and the result of the adoption of the Cuban belligerency resolutions by the United States house of representatives, Monday, and similar measures have been taken for the protection of the residence of Senator Canales de Castillo, the prime minister. The governors of the provinces have been ordered to promptly suppress any disturbances that may occur and to observe such firmness in their actions as will prevent repetition of the disorder. The city was perfectly quiet Tuesday morning. No anti-American demonstrations were made during the night, nor have any been reported from the provinces. The tone of the newspapers in commenting upon the action of the American house of representatives is quiet and dignified.

A DEMONSTRATION

To Be Made Against the Passage of the Cuban Resolutions by the American Congress.

MADRID, April 8.—A council of the republican groups has resolved to organize a demonstration against the vote of the American congress on the Cuban resolutions to recognize the Cuban insurgents as belligerents. The leaders of all the political parties have been invited to take part in the demonstration.

Dispatches received up to a late hour Tuesday night show there have been no disturbances in Spain.

The public does not seem to have been affected by the news, it having long regarded the vote as a foregone conclusion.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution Limiting the President's Veto Power.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Butler (rep. N. C.) introduced a joint resolution in the senate, proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States, limiting the president's veto power. It proposes that a presidential veto may be overcome by a majority vote (instead of a two-thirds vote) in both houses also, that all joint resolutions and votes to which a concurrence of both houses may be necessary. Except on the question of adjournment, shall be presented to the president and shall be approved by him before they take effect.

For Free Silver.
ST. LOUIS, April 8.—Fifty-two democratic county conventions have been held in Missouri up to Tuesday morning and in every one of them resolutions were passed favoring free coinage of silver. Forty-one of these instructed their delegates to the National convention to vote only for delegates at large who were pledged to free silver and the majority favored Gov. Stone, Senators Vest and McMillan, and congressmen Blain and delegates to the Chicago convention. In all the primary elections held for county conventions yet the free silver sentiment for free silver equally pronounced.

A Co-operative Paper Paper.
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 8.—Alfred J. Hietanen, publisher of the St. Paul Penny Press of this city, Tuesday, turned over to the employees of the paper the ownership and control of the paper.

Three sets of delegates.
MOVING, April 8.—The republican delegates of the Seventh Alabama district held their convention Tuesday, and three sets of delegates were elected to St. Louis. The principal fight was between two factions, republican and McKinley. The delegates to the Chicago convention were elected.

Master Wages a Fight.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 8.—J. J. Quinn, Peter Meier's manager, Tuesday night that Meier, a colored slave, a freed or Chovinsky for \$2,000 or \$3,000 a side and the best purse offered; or he would fight for the best purse offered the winner to take all and the fight to take place six weeks after signing the articles.

Declared for Bimetallism.
COLUMBIA, S. C., April 8.—The Webster, or old line faction of the republican party, met in convention here Tuesday. There were about a dozen of the 134 members white men. After a heated discussion, resolutions endorsing McKinley were adopted by a large majority. They declared for bimetallism.

Missionary Knapp in Jail.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 8.—The Louisville Post Wednesday publishes a dispatch from Constantinople saying that Rev. George P. Knapp, the American missionary who was reported to have been secretly expelled from Hittin, is in jail at Diarbekir, where he is treated as a common malefactor.

Water Coming Home.
LONDON, April 8.—John L. Walker, formerly U. S. consul at Tananarive, who was released from prison, New Caledonia, France, on February 31, is a second cabin passenger on board the American steamer New York which sailed from Southampton for New York on Saturday.

Republicans Successful at Chicago.
CHICAGO, April 8.—The republican here Tuesday for two officers and aldermen the republicans carried all of the seven towns by majorities ranging from one to four thousand.

Electoral Quay Delegates.
SCRANTON, Pa., April 8.—Two legislative districts in this county Tuesday elected delegates to the republican convention and instructed for Senator Quay for president.

British Vessel on Fire.
SAY FIVE, ENGLAND, April 8.—The British ship Brabach, Capt. Kinney, which sailed from New Castle, N. S. W., February 10 for this port has been towed in here on fire.

CROP REPORT.

Wheat in a Fair But Slowly Improving Condition in Kentucky.

Growth of Cereals Checked by Cold, Windy Weather in Indiana.

Ohio Wheat Generally Poor and Other Cereals Variable and Backward—Cold Wave in Michigan Damages Wheat—Rain Needed in Wisconsin.

CHICAGO, April 8.—The report as to the condition of the crops throughout the country were Tuesday made by the directors of the several climate and crop sections. The reports received at Chicago were as follows:

Over the central and northern portions of the country the season is from one to three weeks late, in consequence of which farm work has been correspondingly delayed. The condition of winter wheat is reported as poor in Virginia and Ohio, and fair in Indiana and Kentucky. The recent freeze has caused some injury to winter wheat in Michigan. Cattle feeding is generally well advanced in the state of the central valleys.

Illinois—The sharp change from wet to dry weather in the last week of March has stopped farm work. Out-sowing, stalk cutting, plowing, gardening and potato planting resumed this week. The soil is in good working condition. Wheat is in generally fair condition; grasses are coming up nicely; fruit in orchards and garden is well along in bloom buds, and these are bursting in southern counties.

Wisconsin—The greater portion of the state was visited during the last three days of March by a fairly distributed rain and snowstorm which was of decided benefit, yet more rain is needed in the middle and southern sections. No farm work has been started in the northern sections and very little in the middle. In the southern sections the farm work was generally stopped by the cold weather. The weather has been generally unfavorable to winter grain, especially wheat.

Kentucky—Cool with heavy scattered showers during early half of week. Vegetation generally making but little progress. Clover damaged by freezing early in week. Plowing progressing, sowing of oats about half completed. Wheat fair but slowly improving. Fruit safe.

Indiana—Warm rainy weather first days of week impeded cereals which began to show green, but cold windy weather following checked advancement. Plowing for corn and oats continuing. Fruit buds swelling.

Ohio—Fore part of the week favorable to most part unfavorable. Some plowing done, but farm work is generally delayed. Wheat generally poor and other cereals and grass variable and backward. Some peach trees and other fruit plants with buds swelling.

Michigan—Cold wave on Thursday and Friday caused considerable damage to wheat, rye and clover. Farm work held back by cold weather. Spring plowing just begun in southern counties and some oats being sown. Fruit buds swelling in generally good condition.

THE RIOTERS.

Several of Them Fined Daily to Nan-slaughter in the Second Degree.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 8.—The Tonawanda murder trials came to a sudden end Tuesday. Capt. Jesse Graves, for whose trial a jury was secured Monday afternoon, withdrew his plea of not guilty to the indictment for murder in the first degree and pleaded guilty to manslaughter in the first degree, which resulted in the death of Capt. Phillips and his son Charles. One of them, James Dixon, committed suicide in jail on October 17; four, Hyile, Collins and Collins, were indicted for murder in the first degree and the other 11 were indicted for riot, Archibald Lough, one of the latter, absconded after being released on bail and is still at large.

Pittsburgh Men.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 8.—Pugilist Fitzsimmons was hissed off the stage by the "gallery gods" at the Academy of Music here. The rendition of the song "The Best Man of Them All," in which Fitzsimmons was named as that person, was greeted with hisses and groans, intermingled with cheers.

Cotton Mills Burned.
ATLANTA, Ga., April 8.—A special to the Constitution from Douglasville, Ga., says: Eden Park cotton mills were destroyed by fire at midnight. Loss \$125,000. One hundred hands are thrown out of employment.

Patrons Endowed for President.
ALEXANDRIA, Va., April 8.—The Lehigh county democratic committee Tuesday endorsed ex-Gov. Patton for president and Harney for vice-president and named as chairman of the national committee.

Generally in Favor of Lincoln.
OMAHA, Neb., April 8.—The elections were held throughout the state Tuesday, the voting in most places being for or against Lincoln. The elections resulted generally in favor of Lincoln.

Democratic Mayor and Council.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 8.—At the city hall Tuesday the democrats elected the mayor and secured a majority in the common council for the first time in many years.

CONDENSED NEWS

Outraged From All Parts of the World by the Murder of a Negro.

The Savannah Lumber Co.'s planing mill burned. Loss \$10,000; no insurance.

Sophia Newman, the oldest person in East Tennessee, died at Chattanooga aged 103. The cause of death was apoplexy.

The treasury gold reserve at the close of business Tuesday stood at \$127,874,700. The withdrawals for the day were \$10,000.

The Spanish cabinet at its meeting Tuesday considered the matter of asking the cortes for a credit of 25,000,000 pesetas for the purpose of constructing warships.

The American schooner George W. Whitford, which was seized by the Columbian gunboat Cordova off Manzanilla a few days ago and taken to Colon is still detained.

The Manchester Guardian publishes a dispatch regarding an outbreak in Korea resulting in a number of murders, including the killing of the king's father, Tai Wen Kun.

Hundreds of applications have been made to Sheriff Clement for permission to witness the execution of H. H. Holmes, who is to hang on May 7, for the killing of Benj. F. Pielzel.

Five hundred men employed in the mines of the United Coal company at Louisville, Lafayette, Erie and Marshall, Col., struck Tuesday for an increase in wages, which had been refused by receiver Gorham.

Secretary Lamont Tuesday again denied that any army officer or other person connected with his war department had been sent by the government to Cuba for the purpose of ascertaining the conditions existing there.

A large number of Minnesota cities held elections Tuesday. As a rule parties were not closely drawn. The hot spots in the campaign were on cattle, horses and sheep.

No far as heard from the pro-life movement in a majority of cases.

Late Tuesday afternoon James McNeely, an employee of the Metropolitan Cable Co., Kansas City, shot Nellie Wagner, the woman with whom he had been living, and killed her instantly. He then shot himself in the heart, dying shortly after.

While a wrecking crew were at work removing a wreck on the Pennsylvania railroad at Downingtown, Pa., the wreck was run into by a freight train. Chas. Lerkins and Patrick Treigan, members of the wrecking crew, were instantly killed. Other members of the crew had narrow escapes.

Warren K. Goodwin, aged 43 years, a shoe manufacturer at Roselle, Ill., was found dead in his room at the Girard house Tuesday. He reached Philadelphia Monday night on a business trip and, not appearing at breakfast Tuesday morning, a servant went to his room. An inquiry was made and he was found dead.

Tuesday afternoon and the jury found that death was caused by drop of the brain.

Forecast for Wednesday.
WASHINGTON, April 8.—For Kentucky: Fair followed by western showers by showers Tuesday. An inquiry was made and he was found dead.

For Indiana: Light to fresh easterly for local rain, easterly winds, slightly warmer.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, April 7.
Flour—Spring patent, \$3.50-3.55; spring No. 1, \$3.50-3.55; winter patent, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 1, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 2, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 3, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 4, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 5, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 6, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 7, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 8, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 9, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 10, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 11, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 12, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 13, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 14, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 15, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 16, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 17, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 18, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 19, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 20, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 21, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 22, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 23, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 24, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 25, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 26, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 27, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 28, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 29, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 30, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 31, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 32, \$3.50-3.55; winter No. 33, \$3.50-3.55; 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